

Crime in Delaware Quick Facts

Drug/Narcotic Offenses - 2020

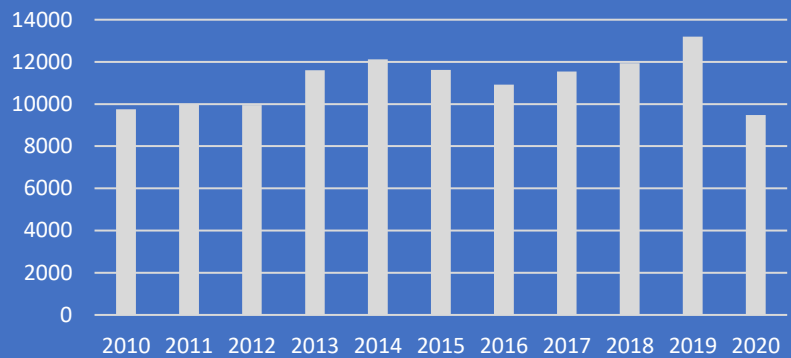
The Federal Bureau of Investigation defines Drug/Narcotic Offenses as:

"The violation of laws prohibiting the production, distribution, and/or use of certain controlled substances and the equipment or devices utilized in their preparation and/or use."

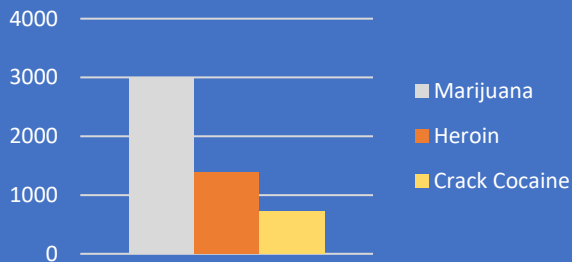
FACTS:

- Drug Offenses accounted for over 14% of all Group A offenses in 2020.
- In 2020, marijuana continued to be the most common form of drug seizure.
- After several years of increases in offenses, marijuana offenses dropped drastically in 2020, possibly due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

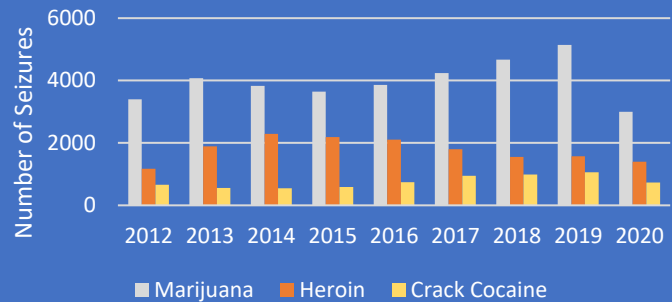
Drug/Narcotic Offenses by Year



2020 Most Common Drug Seizures by Drug Type



2012-2020 Seizures by Drug Type



More Information:

[Delaware Statistical Analysis Center, Crime in Delaware reports 2010-2020](#)

[Federal Bureau of Investigations, National Incident Based Reporting System](#)

Other reports can be found here:
www.sac.delaware.gov/sac-publications/

2020 Common Seizures by Drug Type/Month

